Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 08 Jan 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 09 Jan 2021

Forecast Issued on Friday 08 Jan 2021 at 02:28

Confidence: High for Friday. High for mostly dry conditions over the weekend but low for extent of low cloud. High for changeable conditions early next week.

Headline for Friday 08 Jan 2021: Very cold and mainly dry, chance of early snow showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 08 Jan 2021

Blizzards Low Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Medium Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light snow showers (night)	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
30%	20%	10%	<05%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: Chance of a snow at first this morning. Otherwise dry with plenty of sunshine.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 95% or more with bases only lowering 450-600m in showers.

Visibility: Generally very good or excellent, lowering to virtually nil in early snow showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	29/40 N	28/40 N	26/37 N	22/32 N	18/25 N	13/18 N	5/7 NW
300	15/29 N	14/27 N	12/24 N	10/20 N	9/17 N	7/13 N	5/7 N
Valley	13/28 N	12/27 N	11/24 N	9/20 N	8/17 N	7/12 N	5/6 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	-3/-12	-4/-12	-3/-12	-3/-10	-3/-10	-3/-9	-3/-6
300	-1/-7	-2/-8	-1/-6	-1/-5	-2/-7	-2/-7	-3/-6
Valley	0/-5	-1/-6	1/-4	1/-4	-1/-6	-2/-6	-2/-5
Freezing Level*	100m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Forecast for Saturday 09 Jan 2021
Weather: Most of the day will be dry, thickening cloud will bring a little light rain or summit snow from mid-afternoon.

Maximum wind: West or southwest 15-20mph with gusts reaching 35mph across most exposed ridges and summits.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: Some cloud down to 700 metres developing from mid-afternoon.

Visibility: Handful of kilometres in rain, less in snow.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Minus 6 Celsius increasing plus 3 Celsius during the afternoon
At 700m: Minus 5 Celsius increasing plus 2 Celsius
Freezing level: Sea level rising to 1000m during the afternoon

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